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SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE ENGROSSED NO. **HB 1013** - 02/02/2004

Introduced by: The Committee on Judiciary at the request of the Department of Social Services

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require notice to the attorney general of appeals in certain
2 juvenile proceedings regarding abuse and neglect, children in need of supervision, or
3 delinquency.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

5 Section 1. That § 26-7A-112 be amended to read as follows:

6 26-7A-112. An intermediate appeal or an appeal may be taken from a judgment, decree, or
7 order under the provisions of this chapter and chapters 26-8A, 26-8B, and 26-8C according to
8 the rules of procedure governing civil appeals. The appellant shall also serve the written notice
9 of appeal and docketing statement upon the attorney general. However, the failure to serve
10 notice of the appeal on the attorney general does not constitute a jurisdictional bar to the appeal.
11 Initials shall appear on the appeal record documents in place of the names of the child and the
12 child's parents, guardian, or custodian who are parties to the action.

